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EXAMINATION REPORT OF

MONTEREY-TIPPECANOE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY PULASKI COUNTY, INDIANA

January 1, 2006 to December 31, 2007

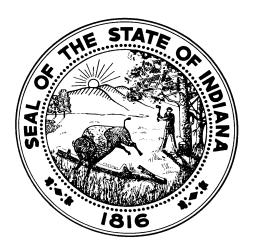




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OFFICIALS

Office	<u>Official</u>	<u>Term</u>
Director	Renita Potthoff	01-01-06 to 12-31-08
Treasurer	Stephanie Smith	01-01-06 to 12-31-08
President of the Board	Charles Zehner Timothy Broeker	01-01-06 to 08-17-07 08-21-07 to 12-31-08



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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

TO: THE OFFICIALS OF THE MONTEREY-TIPPECANOE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY, PULASKI COUNTY, INDIANA

We have examined the financial information presented herein of the Monterey-Tippecanoe Township Public Library (Library), for the period of January 1, 2006 to December 31, 2007. The Library's management is responsible for the financial information presented herein. Our responsibility is to express an opinion based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the financial information presented herein and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial information referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial information of the Library for the years ended December 31, 2006 and 2007, based on the criteria set forth in the uniform compliance guidelines established by the Indiana State Board of Accounts.

The Schedule of Capital Assets and Schedule of Long-Term Debt, as listed in the Table of Contents, are presented for additional analysis and are not required parts of the basic financial information. They have not been subjected to the examination procedures applied to the basic financial information and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

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September 16, 2008

MONTEREY-TIPPECANOE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY SCHEDULES OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS, AND CASH AND INVESTMENT BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL AND FIDUCIARY FUND TYPES As Of And For The Years Ended December 31, 2006 And 2007

Covernmental Funda	In	Cash and vestments		Receipts	Disl	oursements		Cash and nvestments 12-31-06
Governmental Funds: General	\$	39,743	\$	96,529	\$	104,031	\$	32,241
Gift	Ψ	7,153	Ψ	1,013	Ψ	417	Ψ	7,749
LSTA Grant		,		3,500		3,500		, -
Gates Grant		-		3,000		3,000		-
State Tech Grant		-		1,800		225		1,575
Levy Excess		3,799		2,647		3,799		2,647
Lease Rental Payment		15,354		31,254		30,401		16,207
Library Improvement Reserve		78,036		10,000		12,919		75,117
Fiduciary Fund:								
Payroll Withholdings				8,725		8,725		-
Totals	\$	144,085	\$	158,468	\$	167,017	\$	135,536
	In	Cash and vestments 01-01-07		Receipts	Disl	oursements		Cash and nvestments 12-31-07
Governmental Funds:								
General	\$	32,241	\$	111,950	\$	125,019	\$	19,172
Gift		7,749		674		598		7,825
State Tech Grant		1,575		2,700		1,575		2,700
Levy Excess		2,647		931		2,647		931
Lease Rental Payment		16,207		23,772		30,825		9,154
Library Improvement Reserve		75,117		40,000		30,000		85,117
Fiduciary Fund: Payroll Withholdings				9,085		9,085		
Totals	\$	135,536	\$	189,112	\$	199,749	\$	124,899

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial information.

MONTEREY-TIPPECANOE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES TO FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Note 1. Introduction

The Library was established under the laws of the State of Indiana. The Library provides the following services: public safety, health and social services, culture and recreation, and general administrative services.

Note 2. Fund Accounting

The Library uses funds to report on its cash and investments and the results of its operations on a cash basis. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain governmental functions or activities.

Note 3. Budgets

The operating budget is initially prepared and approved at the local level. In addition, funds for which property taxes are levied are subject to final approval by the Indiana Department of Local Government Finance.

Note 4. Property Taxes

Property taxes levied are collected by the County Treasurer and are distributed to the Library in June and December. State statute (IC 6-1.1-17-16) requires the Indiana Department of Local Government Finance to establish property tax rates and levies by February 15. These rates were based upon the preceding year's March 1 (lien date) assessed valuations adjusted for various tax credits. Taxable property is assessed at 100% of the true tax value (determined in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the Indiana Department of Local Government Finance). Taxes may be paid in two equal installments which become delinquent if not paid by May 10 and November 10, respectively.

Note 5. Deposits and Investments

Deposits, made in accordance with Indiana Code 5-13, with financial institutions in the State of Indiana at year end were entirely insured by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation or by the Indiana Public Deposit Insurance Fund. This includes any deposit accounts issued or offered by a qualifying financial institution.

State statute (IC 5-13-9) authorizes the Library to invest in securities including, but not limited to, federal government securities, repurchase agreements, and certain money market mutual funds. Certain other statutory restrictions apply to all investments made by local governmental units.

MONTEREY-TIPPECANOE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES TO FINANCIAL INFORMATION (Continued)

Note 6. Pension Plan

Public Employees' Retirement Fund

Plan Description

The Library contributes to the Indiana Public Employees' Retirement Fund (PERF), a defined benefit pension plan. PERF is an agent multiple-employer public employee retirement system, which provides retirement benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. All full-time employees are eligible to participate in this defined benefit plan. State statutes (IC 5-10.2 and 5-10.3) govern, through the PERF Board, most requirements of the system, and give the Library authority to contribute to the plan. The PERF retirement benefit consists of the pension provided by employer contributions plus an annuity provided by the member's annuity savings account. The annuity savings account consists of members' contributions, set by state statute at 3% of compensation, plus the interest credited to the member's account. The employer may elect to make the contributions on behalf of the member.

PERF administers the plan and issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the plan as a whole and for its participants. That report may be obtained by contacting:

Public Employees' Retirement Fund Harrison Building, Room 800 143 West Market Street Indianapolis, IN 46204 Ph. (317) 233-4162

Funding Policy and Annual Pension Cost

The contribution requirements of the plan members for PERF are established by the Board of Trustees of PERF.

MONTEREY-TIPPECANOE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS

For The Year Ended December 31, 2007

Capital assets are reported at actual or estimated historical cost based on appraisals or deflated current replacement cost. Contributed or donated assets are reported at estimated fair value at the time received.

Primary Government	Ending Balance		
Governmental activities: Capital assets, not being depreciated:			
Land	\$	5,750	
Buildings		416,980	
Improvements other than buildings		7,960	
Machinery and equipment		49,618	
Total governmental activities, capital assets not being depreciated	\$	480,308	

MONTEREY-TIPPECANOE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF LONG-TERM DEBT December 31, 2007

The Monterey-Tippecanoe Township Public Library has entered into the following debt:

Description of Debt	 Ending Principal Balance	Principal and Interest Due Within One Year		
Governmental Activities: Capital leases: Library building, equipment & furnishings	\$ 237,000	\$	30,500	

MONTEREY-TIPPECANOE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY EXIT CONFERENCE
The contents of this report were discussed on September 16, 2008, with Renita Potthoff, Director. Our examination disclosed no material items that warrant comment at this time.